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In re Application of: Maximilian A. Biberger *et al.*
Serial No.: 09/841,800
Filed: 04/24/01
Entitled: **METHOD OF DEPOSITING METAL FILM AND METAL DEPOSITION CLUSTER TOOL
INCLUDING SUPERCRITICAL DRYING/CLEANING MODULE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	* 46	MINUS	** 41	5	18.00	90.00
Independent Claims	* 9	MINUS	*** 8	1	84.00	84.00
_ First Presentation Of Multiple Dependent Claim					280.00	
					TOTAL	174.00

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
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1. x A check in the amount of \$174.00 is attached.
2. X Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1275. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

Dated: October 29, 2002

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Dated: October 29, 2002

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